



## **BEVERLY BELLODY**

Bev Bellody is Tolland's Human Services Director and is very much a staff of one and a "Jill of all Trades." Bev has worked for Tolland for over 30 years, and no year has been as difficult or challenging as this year has been with COVID-19. She is the in-house expert with regards to senior health and services and has been the front-line person scheduling vaccines and navigating COVID testing for the elder residents. She has participated as part of the Town Manager's Emergency Operations Center Team since March 2020, and has been a voice of calm, history, and reason all throughout the pandemic. Bev has proactively reach out to Tolland's seniors to get them scheduled for their vaccines and has put Tolland at the forefront of the vaccine rollout. Also, important to note is that she has worked very closely with Tolland's disabled residents in many of the same ways as aforementioned. Very responsive and kind, and the right person for this unprecedented task. Bev has tirelessly worked on finding funding and grant opportunities to support the Town and its residents.